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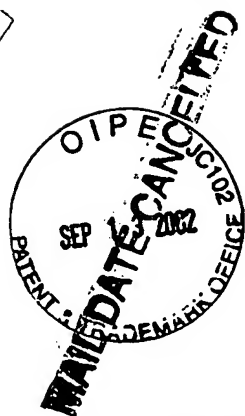
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 1, 2002, enclosed is the fully executed Declaration and Power of Attorney of David M. Hoffman, along with Part 2 of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 01-2384. If any additional extension or other fee is required, please charge Account No. 01-2384. A duplicate of this Response is enclosed.

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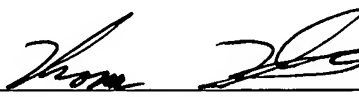
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- Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (1 pg.), in duplicate
- Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by David M. Hoffman (2 pgs.)
- Part 2 of Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.)
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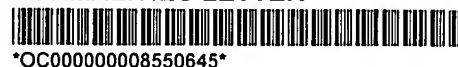
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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